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To All Whom It May Concern

TAKE NOTICE that one James Alien.
Into of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, died at his home in said county, intestate on the ith day of March, A. D. 1874, caving no known widow, descendants or heirs, in the said State of Illinois; that on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1874, the undersigned was, by the County Court in and for said county, duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of the said James Alien, deceased; that all just dobts and charges against said centate which have come to his knowledge, have been fully said; that he did, on the 18th day of Just Received.—A full assorting to the colourated Routilon Kid Gloves, in two buttons. The original and best seam less gloves in the market, for \$2.00 at Lian & Scruggs.

June 1 dtf

Lian & Scruggs.

bas a right to stay away from button the family." aThen there isn't say truth in the story that Mr. Beecher tripped a blind organigment flows a coal-hole." Job Let of black, pure Mohair Alpacas—elegant goods—at, 50 cents; worth
75 cents, at
Linn & Scrudes'.

April 7-dif

Linn & Gerudes'.

They are fit for husbands," responded a feminine voice, "but the difficulty is,

for wives."

The dobts and courses against said estate which invo come to his finewiseles, have been fully paid; that he did, on the lith day of April, A. D. 1878, center to said court a final report of his acts and doings as such administrator, from his appointment to the said isth day of April, A. D. 1876, and that, as shown by, said report duly approved, a batance remains in his hands for distribution, or otherwise, as said contribution, or otherwise, as said contribution, or otherwise, as said contribution, or otherwise, as and seventy cents (\$101.70.) Notice is hereby given to all persons, here of said deceased, or otherwise; having otalins or demands against such estate, to exhibit the same, together with the evidence in support thereof, before said County Court, within, six months from the other of his notice, or that the same will b forever barred. THOMAS M. AYRUS, Administrator of the Estate of James Allen deceased.

4th July, 1876 FIRE WORKS

## **EXHIBITION GOODS!**

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For CITY and TOWN Display.

The attention of Dealers and Committees is called to our large assortment of superior quantry FIRE WORKS, FLAGS, DENTIEN-NIAL BANNERS, Rumination Lanterns and other goods sultable for celebrations. Orders filled from our Storé at Eastern Manufacturer's prices.—Send.for Catalogue.—Discount to the trade. SCHWEITZER & BEER,

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Or both very cheap. Enquire at Dr. Corman's Dental Rooms, over Linn & Scrugge'store.

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Bird seeds of all kinds at Western part with every convenience, in good location, and very convenient to the May 23—diw

\$12 a day at home. Agents wanted, goods, at Augusto, Maine. [mar. 9, 76-dawly 6 diw

An old tombstone in the burying ground at West Lynn, Mass. has this

inscription: "God took the good, too good to stay, and left the bad, too bad

to take away." Rather, rough on the

It is said that the old Romans also

loved office, but they never had the

feeling which an American constable

has never felt that their shoulders

carried over half the burden of the

Old Sam B -, a carpenter of Tren-

ton, was engaged to build at fence, and

was consulted as to the best material

for posts, "Locust, madam, locust; the darned stuff will last a life time:

"How cross you look, whenever you sigh! said a querulous lover, to his sweetheart. She burst into tears, and

said it was the first time she had ever

Willie was saying his usual prayer at

A young man in Illinois received an emphatic "no" from the girl he loved

Two travelers having been assigned to the same bed room in a crowded hotel, one of them, before retizing.

The boys of Detroit, seem to be going

to his father at the breakfast table this

morning, "what's all this council shout?" "Oh, nothing in particular. Its only to find out whether a member

Lyon's Kathairon makes beautiful,

glossy, luxuriant hair; prevents its falling

out or turning gray. It has stood the

test of 40 years. Is charmingly perfum-

Hagau's Magnolia Balm preserves and

restores the complexion; removes freck-

soft, white and delicate. Its application

"How ministers are killed," is the

caption of an article circulating through

the papers. You may not have one to

kill, but it is well to know how it is

20 yards of good Calico for one dollar

12 lyards of heavy Brown; Cotton for one

dollar, and 12 yards of fine Bleached Cotton

Linn & Scruggs have just received all

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For Rent A small house, well-fur-

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patterns in America, sold at M. Gold-

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in linen and white, will be sold very

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Great Bargaius are offered in Dross ply of fruit on the premises. Will tent

S. Einspein's, cheap. Enquire at this office.

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confess yourself to be."

been called a cross sighed girl.

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We would advise all persons who are contemplating a trip to the West, either for pleasure or for permanent settlement, for pleasure or for permanent settlement, for the steel of the west of the west out and before the west out and the west out and the west out and the west of the west out and the west out an

Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad his mother's knee at bed time, and have and connections, form rice only line got as far as "If I should die be-

RUNNING THROUGH PULLMAN SLEEPING fore I wake," hesitated: "Well, what cars and day coaches from Cleveland next?" asked his mother. "Why, and Toledo via the T., W. & W. R'y, and from Chicago via the C., B. & Q. R. R. via Quincy to St. Joseph Atalia

son and Kansas City, without CHANGE, emphatic "no" from the girl he loved making direct connections at these because he was poor. He went into

points with all trains for the West and the woods to hang himself, but found South, should satisfy every one that this \$36,000 in gold and returned to the

is THE ROUTH. Should you desire a map of this line, or any information regard-freekled nose, and then went away and

ing time or rates, the same will be gladly made love to the daughter of a washer-

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best knelt down to pray, and confessed aloud

Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a long catalouge of sins. On rising a reasonable price. [sept 1-dlm from his knees he saw his fellow travel-

Call at Ashby's, and see those splendid seats for porches and gardens. Can furnish them in any color.

16 dtf

Trom in a name of the door, and exclaimed: "What's the matter? What's up?" "Oh, "nothing." was the reply, "only I'm not going to risk myself with such a scamp as you can feet whether the colors.

Sacrifice. - We are authorized to soll at down hill in their morals of late. Sun-

a positive sacrifice, a house and lot on day, one of the legion, who has always,

South Main street—lot 2, block 11. Also been noted for his respectful demonar a good commodious residence with lot toward the great public, observed an old

fronting 160 feet on North College street, citizen Jawning and gaping on the extending back 172 feet to alley—well street corner, and said to him: "Better

improved, with shade trees, fruit trees not open your mouth toe wide." Why?

and shrubbery. The owner an old was the surprised query, "There's a

remain permanently in California, on continued the sinful child as he slid for

somebody a big bargain. These proper "Pop," said Artaxerxes Marrowfat

Just Received.—A full assortment of bas a right to stay away from church

Soda, Milk and Boston crackers; also you men are not fit for wives." The

patterns, and very cheap, at Linn & les, tan and sallowness; makes the skin

a fine assortment of fancy crackers, at lecturer felt very sorry for himself.

june 30-ti

"feb 7dtf

resident of this city, but compelled to law agin opening a saloon on Sunday!

account of health, is bound to furnish the middle of the street.

though !

furnished upon application, either by woman. Isn't that first girl mad

feb 24 dtf

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I've tried um twice."

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Feb. 22, 1876—d3m

To Contractors.

THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF DIS-trict No. 6, of Township 16, will redelve scaled proposal for the building of a school house in said district, until saturday, July 15th; Flans and specifications may be seen at E. M.McNables carpenter shop in Deca-tur. The building must be completed by Sept 15, and the directors reserves he right to reject any and all bits.

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Hepatitis or Liver Complaint,

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Symptoms of a Diseased Liver.

DAIN in the right side, under the edge

of the ribs, increases on pressure; sometimes the pain is in the left side; the

patient is rarely able to lie on the left

side; sometimes the pain is felt under

the shoulder-blade, and it frequently ex-tends to the top of the shoulder, and is

sometimes mistaken for a rheumatism in

the arm. The stomach is affected with

loss of appetite and sickness; the bowels

in general are costive, sometimes alterna-tive with lax; the head is troubled with

pain, accompanied with a dull, heavy

sensation in the back part. There is

generally a considerable loss of memory;

accompanied with a painful sensation of baving, left, undone, something, which ought to have been done. A slight, dry

cough is sometimes an attendant. The

patient complains of weariness and del

bility, he is easily startled, his feet are cold or burning, and he complains of a prickly sensation of the skin, his spirits

are low; and although he is satisfied that

exercise would be beneficial to him livet

he can scarcely summon up fortitude

enough to try it. to In fact, lie distinsts

every remedy. Several liof the above

symptoms attend the disease, but cases

have occurred where few of them existed;

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Train No. 6, via T. W. & W. By, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains of the saturday of

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## ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y. On and after Monday, June 25, trains will wrive and leave as follows:

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D. H. FITCH, Train Master.

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J. M. MILLER, DENTIST. DECATUR, ILLS.

Rooms over Mrs. Hamsher's millinery tore, Marchant street. May 14, 1876—dawtf

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KESTRACK-ON North Main street, first door north of the Christian church.

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D. L. BUNN.

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183. Special attention given to Bankrupt-cyand general collecting business,
June 1, 1876—dawtf.

W. T. CUSSINS, A TTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office-Room, Powers' Block. Prompt attention to bun-

1. A. BUCKINGMAM, A TTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hilds brandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwit.

Dr. A. S. Waltz, DENTIST, Decatur, III. Office, over Bar-ber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1873—d3mos\*

St. Nicholas Hotel, N LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decator Illinois Bus to and from the ours.

C. C. McComas, A TTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES
Attorney for Macon county. Office:—
Over the Post Office, Decestur, III.
Dec. 18, 1878-dawtr.

R ELDEIDGE. J. C. HOSTETLER. ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, . ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's gro-oury store, [july 8, 1574-dly DR. R. C. DAWKINS,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill, Office overSmith Hammer & Co's Bank, 11-daw,t B. I. STERRETT.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW ast cor, of the old square in the office formerly occupied by a. G. Maicne, Esq., over W. C. Arinstrong's drug store.

(June 1-dawiy

W. C. JOHNS, Attorney at Law. Decatur, Illinois.

OFFICE: Over Abel & Looke's carpet nore, East Main Street. (Apr. 1-der Dr. J. KING, M. D. HAS BESUMED THE PRACTICE of med icine, Office—Over Busher's shoe slore

IDR. P. B. SPARKS, HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. OFFICE:—Over the new Post Office, Res-dence—No. 44 North Main street, April 21, 1874—45m\*.

A. BROWER BUNN, A TTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. a opstore, Merchant street, August 3, 1975—dir

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, SEE MACON COUNTY, In the Circuit Court of said county to the August term, A. D., 1876,
John D. Mullikin,

John T. Brabham and Thomas J. Brabham.—Attachment.

Thomas J. Brabham.—Attachment.
NOTICE IS BEREBY GIVEN. That a writ
Not attachment has issued out of the said.
Court at the instance and suit of John D.
Millikin against the estate of John T.
Brabham and Thomas J. Brabham, for the
sum of one hundred and forty-one dollars
and fifty cents, and that the same is now
neuding before the Circuit Court of Masim
county, State of Illinois, to be held in the
City of Decatur, Illinois, on the first Moncay in August A. D. 18%, and that males
they the said defendants, John T. Brabham
and Thomas J. Brabham, analkappear, give
bull and plead within the time timited for
their appearance in said eage, judgment
will be sentered, and the estate so attached
E. McChetllan Clerk Chest County Court

will be sold.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.

Decatur, July 12, 1530.

Cres & Ewing for plaintiff,
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DECATOR, ILLINOIS

Friday Evening, July 11 National Republican Ticket.

For President, RUTHERFORD B HAYES of Ohio For Vice President, WILLIAM A WHELLER! of New York

Republican State Ticket. For Governor, SHELBY M CULLOM, of Sangarion For Lieutenant Governor ANDREW SHUMAN, For Secretary of State, GEORGE II HARLOW, of Tazowell For Auditor of Public Accounts ! THOMAS B NEEDLES,

of Washington For Treasurer, EDWARD RUTZ, of St Clair For!Attorney General, JAMES K. EDSALL of Lee

#### CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of the Fourteenth Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Doug-las, Macon, Piatt and Verniller, are re las, Macon, Piatt and Vermiller, are requested to appoint delegates to attend a convention of said district, to be hold at Champaign ("ity, Illinois, on the 25th of July, 1876, at 10 o'clock a m, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative in congress for said district and a candidate for member of the State. Board of Equalization, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the republican state convention, viz of the republican state convention, vize One delegate for every 400 and fraction over 150 votes cast for Republican pressional details in 1872, which will end to the respective counties in the said fourteenth congressional district to the following number of delegates to with differents to with differents to with the presence of a military procession. following number of delegates, to wit 10 | Macon 7 | Pintt 4 | Vermilion Champaign

By Order of Committee W E ADAMS, M. W MATHI WS Sec'y,

Ir appears that in preparing for the suit against Jake Thompson, Secretary Chandler has discovered additional frauds upon the Indian Trust funds committed under Mr Thompson's administration of the Interior Department during Buchanan's reign Thompson's All his acts during the most trying deficit has heretolore been reckened at period of the nation's history were in \$870,000, it is now said to be \$1,800,-

Ir was after the election of 1868, when the state of New York was carried for Seymour through the help of enormous frauds in the city, that Hor aco Greeley wrote to Samuel J. Tilden

frauds with the manth of your respon-

ly implicated in them to-day as though

The Charleston News, a southern Demogratic paper, fools the death of York Herald and Democratic papers of the north. The editor rises above the partisan to say "Custer was a gallant officer, and we deplore as Americans, the loss of the brave soldiers who rode to death with him under the "old flag." We are shocked and pierced beyond measure, though we take pride in the knowledge that Custor and his femily the impression made upon some old or he be redskin or white."

THE Graphic has the best cartoon of

#### TILDEM'S WAR RECORD.

Sumter and calling for 75,000 volun- rather attenuated teers The day following a call in these words was issued in New York city Citizens of New York in favor of the prominant Democrats were invited, and many of them heartily responded they propose is to get offices, which they propose to fill in an indefinite sort of way." gently solicited by personal and party friends to sign the call for the meeting, maintaining the laws and constitution made '

its height, and the Union cause looked graph most gloomy, Mr. Tilden occupied the same position, and still manifested a ing to the war waged for its suppression He was prominent among the delegates to the Democratic National Convention which nominated McClellan, at Chicago and one of the leading members of the the appointment of that committee, and he certainly approved, if he did not actually draft, the following famous resolution, unanimously reported by the committee, and adopted by the convention .

experiment or war—during which, the der the pretence of a military necessity or war power higher than the Constitution, the Constitution itself has been disrogarded in every part, and public liberty and private right alike trodden down, and the material prosperity of the country essentially impaired—justice, humanity, liberty, and the public well fare demand that immediate efforts be made for a cessation of hostilities, with a view to an ultimate convention of the States, or other peaceable means to the end that at the enricest practicable mo-mont peace may be restored on the basis

of the Federal States These are the salient points in Tilof the North had been equally traitorous, the rebel Confederacy would have been established in the South, and, perhaps would have subugated the whole country -Philadelphia Press

OLD WILLIAM ALLEN has again risen up, but only to sit down again led to believe that Mr. Hayes, presiaco Greeley wrote to Samuel J. Tilden

"You were at least a passive accomplice, in the yeart frauds of last November.

This time he has sat down upon Sammy Tilden. It is natural that old Billy shouldn't like Sammy Thore is a great discrepancy in their ages. Considered apart or with reference to most protest on your part, in circulars sewed mankind, Sammy is himself an old broadest even the state, whereof the broadcast over the state, whereof the man, but, as compared to old William, dependent in their utterance as the man but, as compared to old William, dependent in their utterance as the he hasn't outgrown his adolescence.— lamented Lincoln was wont to be." manifest intent was to "make assurance doubly sure" that the frauds here perdeted should not be everyone by the honest vote of the rural districts grabbed the prize which he—old William—has been toiling for these many held, to day, at Owatonna, Hon. Mark of the present these day, at Owatonna, Hon. Mark is the following, and he very properly recommittee of congress, investigations. gards Sammy's conduct as so reprehen mation for re-election to congress from that the committee of congress, investigards Sammy's conduct as so reprehen mation for re-election to congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress as bad as the thiof," you are as deep you have as deep you might an at the conduct as so reprehen mation for re-election to congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The congress from sible that even extreme youth cannot the first district of the state. The co is as bad as the thiof," you are as deep, in 3 Sammy as a "d-d b irren ideality," your name was Tweed, O'Brien, or Enquirer that he does not intend to Oakey Hall." take "any decided stand in support of It is not recorded that Shippery Sam Mr Tilden," though he generously adds mourning over the possibility of Marever denied the soit impeachment, but that he will not use any influence he tin Forstmyer's defeat by the Republito-day he has the sublime efficiency to May have against him William thinks can county convention. The ruse is Ohio can only be carried by adhering run for president on a platform which to his policy of inflation and repudia too thin to deceive anybody, and Maraccuses the Republican party of all tion, and advises fighting it out on that tin sees through it as well as though sorts of frauds, and ostentationsly line without any regard for the St he had planned it himself It is an proclaims that "Reform is necessary." Louis platform or candidate. He says old dodge—that of trying to prevent that, if the Ohio congressmen can be elected on that basis, he is willing it should inure to the benefit of Tilden Custer and his men more than the New But, as for the venerable William himself, he has concluded that he has had enough of politics, and announces his retirement "forever and irrevocably" He will probably not be disappointed

CHICAGO has fired the first gun in the prosidential campaign, and has bit the mark squarely and with telling effect The names of Hayes and Wheeler were not on the successful ticket, but fell is the front of the battle, dying were not on the successful ticket, but Cal., began an address in an excited points of difference between the house with the men they led. Judging from the word "Republican" was, and by and disconnected manner, he being evil
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The control of the battle, dying the battle, dying the successful ticket, but Cal., began an address in an excited points of difference between the house with the men they led. that sign we conquered The Demo-'rebels in Charleston, by the news of crats brought out their full strength, our defeat in the Indian country, it and were ignominiously beaten. They would take only the shortest sort of a trotted out Kimball for the swallowbrush with any troublescene neighbor tails, and McGrath for the short hairs, to arouse in the South the ardent pa- expecting by the non-partisan and triotism that, in years gone by, sent the ommently-respectable dodge to draw off a chair, brandishing a sword in a furi-South to the front in Mexico. This is a considerable support from the Repubour country. We have a right to abuse hean nominee, and thus to enable the members went after the police, and offi- before becoming secretary of the navy it if we choose, but we make a common regular short-haired wing of the Deit if we choose, but we make a common regular short-naired wing of the De-cause against a common enemy, wheth-cause against a common enemy, wheth-lead and the common enemy, wheth-lead and the common enemy, which are common enemy, wheth-lead and the common enemy, which are common enemy, are com election they would have c'armed as a Democratic victory. The Republicans the principle of non-resistance be con-blocked this game by voting straight stantly adhered to. There was, consethe season Tilden and Hondricks are for their nominee and electing him by monated on a donkey, Tilden facing a rousing majority on a light vote.the front, and Hendricks, on behind, They carried every one of the eighteen facing the rear. Tilden is trying to wards for Heath, who in almost every and must deliver it. At length Pink-

Chicago Tribum

REPUBLICAN papers are daily giving the names of prominent Democrats and Mr Tilden sympathized with the Democratic papers who utterly refuse South and was opposed to the war for to support the St Louis nominees the Union April 14th, 1861, Presi Prominent Democrats from all sections officially announcing the attack on Fort that Tilden's chances for election are

The following article taken from the New Orleans Bulletin, shows that disaffection exists in the south, notwithmaintaining the laws and constitution standing the effort made by the wily of the United States recognest to meet party managers to draw up a platform For it is Broken by an cited discussion. Foster Bluey, A. B. it Union Square, on Siturday, April that would at least be unobjectionable 20th, at I o'clock." Au enthusistic in that quarter. "A party that has not war meeting wis the result, and it was the courage to announce a single emattended by the patriotic citizens of phatie conviction, or that has none to both parties Gen John A Dix, who declare, is incapable to aggression, and had been the secretary of the treasury stands confessed as nothing more than A ROW IN TAMMANY. in Buchanan's cabinet, presided. All a mere organized communion, whose

But we have yet to hear of the first prominent Republican, or see the first but refused, and would have nothing to Republican paper that repudiates the do with it This was his position at the Cincinnati ticket or platform. It is outbreak of the rebellion lie could perhaps safe to assert that never, in the not then disguise his sympathy with history of the party, has there been such Grant Unlocks Bristow's Lipsthe South and hostility to the Union unanimity of feeling, such universal cause under the pretence that the war satisfaction with the ticket as in the was wrongly conducted He showed present instance. Not only are Rehimself opposed to any sort of efforts publicans united upon the platform and for thwarting the robelious movements ticket but accessions to it from Liber- AND BIDS HIM TELL ALL of the South. He was not "in tayor of als and Independents are daily being

of the United States" when it was his It is a ticket against which no evil Southern friends that threatened him. can be said, and one which every hon-In 1864, when the rebellion was at orable man can support. - Alton Tele-

THE Philadelphia Times (Ind) wants tacit approval of the rebellion by object- fair play for Mr. Blaine, and says "When assailed in the face of his great struggle for the highest honors of his party, he faced his foes with a heroism and power that challenged the admiration of the whole country, and when Committee on resolutions. Indeed, it he fell at Cincinnati no wound could was he who submitted the motion for be found in his back. He is now on equal footing with his political peers of the House. He is now away in his New England home, an invalid, and three finally jumped into the river and possibly broken beyond recovery in the attempted to swim across, but were cept, and only public considerations of the gravest character could justify con-

> lystyle of stating propositions that characterized Abraham Lincolu, and much of the corrections that much of the same terse, clear and forto defend Tilden against his own rec- men in the West as general manager. ord, they will have no time for anything else during the canvass."

> agencies at Washington, the Pittsburg and built principolly by Pekin men and Gazette says "From every quarter money. where information can be found we are

the platform adopted at Cincinnati.

the nomination of a man whom his political opponents have every reason to

Wanted, Immediately, lat the Steam Laundry, a first class shirt and collar roner 10-diw\*

PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—The session of the Universal Peace Society, here, to-day, terminated summarily, about neon. Dr. Charles Pinkham, of Cal., bogan an address in an excited and disconnected manner, he being evidently insane. Calls to order were heard from all points. President Love insisted that the speaker be allowed to proceed, and Dr. Pinkham went en, proceed, and Dr. Pinkham went en, cations are that the house conference becoming more and more excited and will recede from their position on this violent, until at length he sprang upon | point to-merrow. ous manner. At this point several cors came in to remove the disturber, he should not be interfered with, and annual income of \$7,500.

the principle of non-resistance be constantly adhered to. There was, couse-quently, a clearing of the hall.

Pinkham's wife, from her place, said Pinkham had a message from heaven and must deliver it. At length Pinkham had a message from heaven and must deliver it. At length Pinkham had been possessed by the immortal spirit of Washington, but had at last succeeded in shaking off the spirit. The spirit, he explained, had at tempted, through him, to proneurce a new declaration.

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dont Lincoln issued his proclamation of the country are reported as saying Peace | Peace | But den and Hendricks as the most fitting of the doubtry appropriate the attack on Bort that Thiday's charges for election are There is no Peace.

Insane Man.

KELLEY.

HE KNOWS.

NEWARK, N. J.,July 13-Three young Germans, brothers, named Tiohorn, desperate characters, were arrested for disorderly conduct and drawing revelvers, shot one policeman, Elsden, dead, fatally wounded another, Dickerson. The desperadoes then ran to a tannery, whose former manager had discharged them, and not finding him commenced firing into the shop, killhe fell at Cincinnati no wound could and wounding two workmen. The

the river with knives, etones, eto. The stoned to death. One of the wounded The body of one of the Tichorns was

recovered from the river, and men are dragging for the others. The total number of deaths is seven, Elsden, Dickerson, Alberts, the three Tichorns Governor Hayes has much of the home- and a workman. Intense excitement

PEKIN, ILL., July 13.-A rumor is cible method of maintaining them by current in the city that the Pekin and argument He never says anything Decatur division of the Wabash railthat his friends are sorry for or wish him to take back. He has the rare of court, and purchased by the bond gift of saying what he wants to say in a few words, and the still rarer one of knowing what not to say. With such that built and owned the road before it that built and owned the road before it These are the salient points in Tillar and the lead the Republican party passed into the hands of the Wabash.

All his note during the proof trying will make an aggressive fight, and if An entire new organization has been the Democracy ever muster up courage effected, with one of the best railroad

> This is quite important, if strictly true, (and the rumor seems to be based on information that may be relied on, As To whether Hayes will be proof for the road is one that this city feels against the blandishment of corrupting special interest in, as it was originated

It will be run independent of any arrangements heretofore in existence.

THERE is no use in the Democrats mourning over the possibility of Marin the cabinet and the executive, officially, and that a committee of congress have no right to demand an answer. I appreciate the position you have assumed on this question, but beg to relieve you from all obligation of se-creey on this subject, and desire not only that you may answer all questions re-lating to it, but wish that all members of my cabinet since I have been president may also be called upon to testify in regard to the same matters.

The currency sommittee have post- In the Circuit Court-August Term, A D poned the consideration of the resumpponed the consideration of the resumption question till Monday. Democrats | ABELS FERRE, Attachment Wanted, Immediately, lat the Steam on the committee agreed to propose and THOMASEVANS.

Secretary Robeson, to-day, showed before the house naval committee, that he owned real estate in Camden, New

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TELEGRAPHIC New YORK, July 13—The Tammany hall general committee, met to-night, August Schell presiding, and a most August Schell presiding, and a most lively time ensued. Resolutions were confident of marching to victory under all lower than ever before, his leadership. This provoked an ex-Caldwell, and others, said the amendment was out of place, and should be referred to the committee on organ-

Edward Looker denounced John Kelly's action at St. Louis, in fighting line of the Celebrated and abusing Tilden, and said the Democratic party never authorized him to de so. Great confusion followed, AND IT IS ALL ABOUT BOSS and shouts of "put him out," down." The resolutions were finally adopted, and John Kelly made a speech asking that everything be forgetten except the common enemy.

> ONAHA, July e3.—Recent dispatches from Red Cloud and Spotted Tail agencies, state that affairs are very uncertain, owing to the recent news of Custer's defeat. The interior department is issuing nothing but corn and flour, have failed on beef entirely. The commanding officer at Robinson thinks the necessities of the case demand a company at the post. It is not probable the Indians will make trouble at the agencies, as that is their only city of refuge in case they are whipped.

NEW YORK, July 13-Thomas Settle, president of the national republican convention of 1872, was nominated yesterday, for governor, and W. A. Smith, of Johnson, for lieutenant gov ing John Alberts, assistant foreman, ernor, by the republican state convention of North Carolina. The nomina the murderers, chasing them towards

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### Dissolution Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore ex.

ii isting between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. J L Fletcher retiring from the firm. All debt due to or by this firm, wil. be settled by J G. Shea, at the old stand.

J. G. SHEA,

J. L. FLETCHER.

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#### A Card.

000, a decrease of \$19,000 from the amount in the bill as it passed the house.

The president sent the following, yesterday

To Hon B H Bristow:

The president the president is president to group is solicited, with such additions as the public may be pleased to give.

J G SHEA

Decatur, Illi, July 19, 1876 july14-diw\*

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THE UNDERSIGNED will sell the old Lintner Property, on South Main Street, on long credit Enquire of Executor of the estate of Wm Lintner.

July 12 dtf

### Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 88

## ATTACHMENT', NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ) SE

In the Circuit Court of said county to the August Term, A. D., 1878. THOMAS EVANS,

## Naw York, July 13—The Tammany THE ONLY ONE PRICE STORE IN DECATUR lively time ensued. Resolutions were read endorsing the nomination of Tilden and Hendricks as the most fitting

ling the country. An amendment was of more described on that the committee have unabated gonfidence in John Kelly, and are ted gonfidence in John Kelly, and are

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Chancery Notice.

In the Circuit Court, August Term, A. D STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, }

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General Agents for the u.S., It was the safe of August next, A D. 1876. First Monday of August next, A D. 1876. Now, therefore, noless you. The said defendant, shall be and appear before the said defendant, shall be and appear before the said court at the said term and then and there plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint the matters and things therein contained will be taken pro conjesso, and decree entered spaints you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN Clerk.

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Becatur, Ill., June 28 1876.

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named at bottom figt also find a very full s tinware, and other h goods, all of which are ket affords. Call and se .. About fifty men w ing the job of laying the the vicinity of Armstro this morning We pres

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## LACK SILKS.

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I see whether this is [may 6-dewtf

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r firm about Septem-

## STOOK

PRICES

N convince you of it bek MUST BE RE-

## IN'S, R STREET.

Newspapers

ER PARTY.

sure in announcing that we spared to print Campaign short notice than any other rited States, and as we shall lity of this kind of work during the contest, we solled to those desiring Campaign any name or nature Corromptly answered

NEWSPAPER UNION,

UTTER,

DAIRIMEN, do you wish V. CENTS MORI a pound er? Address at once A. II. , 100 Madtson Street, Chica-july7 diw

WN & TAIT, IEYS AT LAW.

th Water street, over Fen-g store. Collections and all promptly attended to. ncery Notice.

Court, August Term, A. D LINOIS, } ss

party, fee oreby given that a suit is now a the Circuit Court of Macon State of Hilmos, on the chemed, wherein Lucius D. Allynomen, administrators of Stotlessed, William I., Hamward Ibropatric and Henry Irm of Harpstrite as Minude apialmants, and keepen H. ac almistrator of Benjamin seed, Mary J. Smith, Emity Wamsley, William J. Smith, Ann R. Smith, Frank Smith, Smith are defondants, that is has lessed in said cause fary E. Smith, returnable to rea, A. D. 1876, of said court, the Court House, in Decatur, on

h day of August, A. D. 1876, the defendants in said cause and answer the bill of coin-ierein, or the same will be ase against those not answer-cause will thereupon, as to not answering, be set for e. E. Mouliklian, Clerk of the Circuit Coart, DBY, Sol'citors, 028, 1870—d4w

## cery Notice.

Court to the August Term INOIS, Las

vs. Daniel Miller—In Chan-

of the non-residence of liler, the defendant in the sing been filed in the office said court, notice is hereby above-named complainant led her bill of complaint in the chancery side thereof, and as the reupon issued out of sit he above-named defending to the first day of the next crt, to be held at the Court lur, in said county, on the f August next, A D 1876. te, unless you, the said de-le and appear before the said sld term and thru and there or demur to the said bill of matters and things therein be taken proconcesse, and a meaning type according to the bill.

bill.
E. McCLHLLAN, Clerk,
mplainant's collector,
June 28, 1876
d40d

The Daily Republican. THE LAST BATTLE OF THE CEN-DECATUR (LLINGIS:

Priday Evening, July 14.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

What sutherired to sanounce Marrin

FORSECTINE IS a candidate for Shellf, sub-est state decision of the Republican coun-

CITY DEPARTMENT.

.. For boots and shoes of latest style

and superior quality, call at the boot and

shoe store of J. B. Shather, on Eldorado

ground, at the Western Tea Company's

modated at the commercial college or

. New potatoes at Niedermeyer's.

tion with all trains
...Our street sprinkler is having a

wonderfully easy time this summer .-

During the entire season thus far not

.. The Lord rains, but the people do

more than two weeks of service has

not rejoice as their bibles require them

to do, but on the contrary indulge in all

sorts of grumbling and fault-fluding

.. Four and one half pounds of excel-

.Company E, of Scalpers held a

meeting last night, and after attending

to business in their hall did a little street

dulling. The company is nearly full,

and will do good work in the campaign

crossing of Water and East Main streets,

which lit is thought will prevent the

Hooding of cellars in that vicinity

our farmer friends are not happy.

.. A deep drain is being dug at the

.. Twenty years ago a bushel of wheat

would generally buy four yards of cal-

no Now about twenty yards can be

bought for a bushel, and yet some of

.. This season of the year screens a

the doors and windows are a mighty

good thing. Some folks use them to

shut flies out, and some to shut them in.

In either case they are a mighty good

hundred years ago it was the custom for

the girls to stand up in a row and let

the men kiss them all good-bye, all this

onthusiasm about national progress

.. The wet weather is causing doors in

dwellings to swell so that in many cases

.One of the chief concerns of pedes

tuans these days is to keep clear of mud

thrown by horses' feet. Occasionally a

lady gets a little too near to teams at the

(tossings, and goes home out of sorts

with horses, the weather and all other

... It is said that continuous wet weath-

er inclines people to suicide. This be-

ing the case, everybody had better keep

razors and ropes well out of the way,

and make close well curbs with look and

reasonably cheap in the coming autumn

very fine assortment at R. C. Crocker's,

where they can buy any or all articles

named at bottom figures. They will

also flad a very full supply of stoves, tlaware, and other house furnishing

goods, all of which are the best the mar-

.. About fifty men were superintend-

ing the job of laying the brick walk in

the vicinity of Armstrong's drug store

this morning We presume their atten-

dauco and valuable suggestions were a

.. The following poetic contribution

to one of our exchanges is so express

ive of youthful aspiration that we print

men who may have aspirations in th

"I'd like to be an editor, an' in my office stand, the door a standlu' open an' a big club in my hand; then let the cuss who didn't like some article I'd writ, come softly o'er the threshold—I reckon ho'd get hit; I'd hand him one right on the gourd among his

.This hot weather has its peculiar

effects upon humanity. One of our

treating some of his patients for this

disease "If," said he, "small-pox, fe-

ver, or some tangible disease would

come, I would know exactly what to do;

but to treat a case of hot weather debil-

my, which approximates leziness so

closely as to make it a nice point to de-

termine which is which, is quite annoy-

ing " We know of several cases of the

above order, some of which are critical.

the attention of our readers

..It is suggested by some of our Re-

direction of the editorial chair:

ket affords Call and see

gratuity to the city.

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seems to be a grave mistake

. When you reflect that at picnics a

lent coffee for \$1 00 at Western Ten Co

. . Fresh lemons and oranges at New-

. Downing's hack makes sure connec

store on East Main street

the west side of old square.

. Nice apples at Imboden's

.Try that coffee ready roasted and

.A few more students can be accom

.Blackberries and new apples at Bully

ty convention.

Niedermeyer's

ell & Hammer's.

been required.

about wet weather

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Fought June 25th, 1870. BY KENT LINTON.

Roll on oh! cruel time; close up the year, That marks the rounding of a century, Since first our forefathers rejoic'd to hear, The declaration, that all men are free.

For the REPUBLICAN.

We honor the names of the minute-men, Who fought in the revolutionary strife, And fell, at Lexington and Concord then, To give the nation liberty and life

But now the last battle field comes in sight, And casts its shadow o'er our peaceful

Like the death-angel who took his swift flight, Over the households of Pharaoh's land.

The clouds of war had been thickening And Sitting Bull with his wild Sioux

Were gath'ring for war, for a fortnight past, In the Mauraises terres or Bad Lands.

And then came the first bloody fray, With the Sloux, who swept down like a sea, How Custer's and Reno's command that

day, Had fought as they did at Thermop-

How Custer, surrounded on every side, Like Leonidas still cheered his men, Who fought till swept away by the flerce That roll'd over them again and again.

Three hundred strong they were before the fight,
Three hundred they follow'd the new-

made trail,
Three hundred they fell to the left and to the right,
And not a man returned to tell the tale.

Close up the grave of the heroic dead, Question not, till the resurrection moin'.

The last patriot's blood was freely shed, At the battle of Little Big Horn. Strengthen the sacred ties of our nation. Stand shoulder to shoulder in every

Against the foes of civilization.

The enemies of true freedom and

Right. Bathing.-In these days when people sweat profusely, too much attention cannot be given to the bathing business .-Cleanliness and health are intimate companions, and the fermer can only be secured by frequent bathing. Care should be taken that the water used is not cold enough to send a chill over the system After bathing, the body should be thoroughly dried with a crash towel. Proper attention to these matters will tend to promote health, which at the present time cannot be guarded with too much care.

And Still They Come-Recruits for the Indian war at Minckley & Dodson's, where may be found a full supply of everything needed for the expedition .-Army blankets, gents' furnishing goods it will be impossible to shut them We of every description, and nice watches were told yesterday by one man that he with which to mark time, may be ob could not shut his outside doors at night, tained here Rally round the flag, and and set chairs lagainst them so that no get your supplies of clothing, queensone could get in without awakening ware, socks and hose, at Minckley &

> Cut them Down. -- As usual at this season of the year, there is a rank growth be cut down The rainy season has Store. been favorable to their growth, and they have attained immense preportions. Citivens should attend to them alongside of their own premises, and the city authorties should take them on hand around lt, and after the scythe should come the

. There is now a good prospect for a | Thinning Out, The number of board large crop of apples in this county, and era at the Jennings Hotel is gradually this best of all fruit will doubtless be growing less within the last two weeks by expiration .. Porsons wishing anything in the of sentence, and several more will gain line of shelf hardware, iron, nails, care their liberty in the same way within the ponter's and farming tools, will find a next few weeks.

Baled Hay -A lot of baled hay for sale, at Caldwell's Livery Stable. 14 d9d

Rare Chance to get a cheap property -House and lot, six blocks from the post office, for \$625-\$125 cash; balance

in easy payments. Call and see Overmine & Kaufman.

.. A full line of groceries at the Western Tea Store june30-tf. Attention Drummers -Best quality

calf skin drum-heads at H. Posts, 26 Morchant St. Drums repaired in the at for the benefit of any of our young best manner. For Rent.-The clothing store in Post

Office block, now occupied by Louis Fall is for rent. Enquire on the premjuly 18dt? The Best New York Factory Cheese

one right on the gourd, among his bruins and things, and send him flum-mixin' upward, to sport a pair of wings."

This was a send that the send him flum western Tea Co.'s Store. Try it. For Sale-A horse and buggy,-on

physicians says he is getting tired of time. Enquire of Julius Goldstein.

A Complete Assortment of Spring and Summer Cassimeres, at LINN & Sonugga' May 19-dtf

J. P. Marsh still continues to manufacture boots and shees to order, and guarantees fits to all who may patronize him. Being a first-class workman' himself, and employing only the best of journeymen, he turns out no secondpublican friends that it would be a cap- class jobs. During his residence here ital idea for that organization to erect a Mr. Marsh has won high favor as a 'Wigwam' for the Presidental cam- workman, and onjoys a very large trade. paign now pending, similar to the If you want a good fit leave your order

one erected eight years ago on the spot with him. [June 82 dtf where the Opera block new stands. This 18 a timely suggestion, and worthy of Carbon oll for 20 cents per gallon at the Western Tea Store, june 30-tf MORTIARY.

Death of Mrs. Mattle Gorin. For some time past the aged mother

of J. R. Gorin and Mrs. I. C. Pugh has been lying dangerously ill at the residence of the latter, on North Main street Yesterday afternoon the messenger came, and death closed a long and useful life Mattie Thomas was born in Edgefield

county, South Carolina, May 30, 1788. About the year 1800 she removed to the state of Kentucky, and was joined in marriage with John D. Gorin, in Todd county, in that state, on the 25th of February, 1808. Nine children were born to them-six boys and three girls. All of these are living except two. The eldest, Dr. B. W. Gorin, died a luttle over two years ago. Hur husband died for drill. By order. at Vandalia, over thirty years ago, at the age of 56.

The deceased had been a devoted and consistent member of the Presbyterian . Church about sixty two years, and was much attached to her faith. Since the death of her husband she has resided Knieper's, 24 Merchant street. ready and eager to minister to her wants and make smooth the path of her declining years. Mrs. Pugh, at whose house she died, and another daughter, Mrs. E. J. Rice, of Moweaqua, watched over her in her last sickness with a degree of devotion that knew no momen of intermission.

The funeral will take place from the residence of Mrs. Pugh at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

DIED.

At the residence of her son in-law, P. H. Miller, 65 West Main street, Mrs. REBECCA WOOD, in her 81st year. The funeral will take place at the resi

dence as above, on Saturday, July 15th, at 2 o'clock, P. M. Friends of the family are invited to attend without further A New Store.-Mr. J. B. Shatzer has

purchased of C. L. Wood, his stock of poots and shoes, located on Elderado St., between Broadway and Morgan. Mr. Shatzer has made large additions to the eld stock by recent purchases. Custom work made a speciality. All work firstclass and at bottom figures. july14 daw1t.

MASONS AND ODD FELLOWS SECOND ANNUAL

PLEASURE TRIP,

From Central Illinois to CHICAGO. Milwaukee, Grand Haven, Duluth, Marquette, St. Paul and Mackinaw, JULY 19th. Railway and steamboat fare for round trip, from Decatur to Milwaukee, via Chicago, ONLY TEN DCLLARS. To Grand Haven and return, ELEVEN DOLLARS.

For full particulars, enquire at I. W Ehrman's Clothing House, or of A. Milt Lapham, opposite the post office.

.. Canned California Salmon, 20c; sardines, 20c., oysters 20c, at Western Tea

Music! Music!-A. new song entitled 'Rally for Hayes and Wheeler," the finest campaign song ever written, for of weeds by the wayside which need to sale at C B Prescott & Co's City Music ]uly11-d3tw1.

Boots and Shoes of every style and grade may be bought cheaper at V. Barber & Co.'s than at any other place in Macon county. Their stock is very unoccupied lots. Now is the time to do full and complete, comprising goods of the very best quality. All goods are marked down for the purpose of closing out summer styles

hotel building containing ten rooms. The house is in good repair, has good water, stable and other conveniences For terms, &c , address

Samuel Haves, Buffelo, Ill.

july11 daw2w\* Organs! Organs!-O B. Prescott & Co. are receiving and shipping those Western Cottage Organs," nearly every july11-d3tw1.

The 'Western Cottage Organs' beats them all, C. B. Prescott & Co. are the general agents for Central Ill. july11-d8tw1.

Wanted .- A situation as ostler, or to do general work about the premises. Apply at this office. The Handsomest and Cheapest

BLACK SILKS ever opened in Decatur, at April 7-dif Linn & Schugge'.

Mme. Demorest's Spring Patterns just opened, at Linn & Scruggs. mar 14 dtf

THE INDIAN WAR Don't compare with the

War on Prices At the shoe store of L. L. FERRISS.

shirts in the market, at LINN & SCRUGGE, June 2-dtf

PERSONAL MENTION,

Mr. A. Nebinger arrived home on the soon train to-day from the centennial, returning by the way of Buffalo and Niigara Falla.

Rev. Stephen H. Granberry, Rector of St. John's Church, this city, returned this morning from a trip to the Centennial. He will officiate at the Episcopal Mr. Granberry was quite sick during his absence from home, and looks quite the invalid now.

ATTENTION COMPANY D:

All members of Co. D., Juvenile Scalpers, are requested to meet at their new headquarters over J. Millikin & Co's bank, on Friday evening July 14th, at 8 o'clock, WELDON COLPRIN, Capt.

FRED WESSELS, O. S. .Leave orders at Armstrong's drug

tore for Taylor's hack. Great Bargains in Jewelry at J.L.

No one need go hungry when they can get groceries of all kinds so cheap at E. B Pratt's, No. 37 North Church street. Fresh Meat, Milk, Butter, Bread, Eggs, Fruits and Vegetables constantly on hand. july 10 dawim

Sewing Machine Needles, for all ma chines, and Machine Oil, at J. M. STOOKEY & Co.'s. Jone 28 dlaw&w4t

Black Iron Frame Grenadines, from the best quality down, low as 25 cents, at Linn & Scruggs. [3--dtf

S. Einstein is closing out his Linen Builts at cost. For Sale.-Horse, buggy and harness ata bargain. Call at Minckley & Dod-

son's auction store, Merchant street. The new invoice of goods just received by V. Barber & Co., embraces all the latest styles from eastern factories and will be sold at wonderfully low prices. Now

is the time to buy. .. Syrup worth \$1.00 per gallon for 75 ets., at Western Tea Store. Try it.

Ladles' White Underwear, skirts aprons, children's dresses and baby robes, all of which will be sold cheaper than the material can be bought for, at 3 **d0 w1** Goldburg's,

The Ladies will do well by subscribing for the Domestic Monthly, which is \$1.50 a year, and a premium of one dollar's worth of patterns will be given to each subscriber, which will make the Monthly 50 cents only, at Goldburg's.

May 2 d&wtf

Parasols, Fans, Ties, Ruches, Colars and Cuffs, very cheap, at GOLDBURG's. Codfish, Holland Herring, Mackerel, At POOR Man's Prices,

white-fish, smoked herring, etc., much cheaper than elsewhere, at the Western D. A. Reeme has opened a meat mar-

ket in Thatcher's block, on North Waer street. Hams and breakfast bacon—the best,

for less money than elsewhere, at Westeru Tea Go's store. june39-tf Mrs. Moody's Abdominal Corset, Madam Foy's Supporter Corset, the Duplex Hip fitting Corset, the Champion and

Grand Duchess Corset-French and May 2 d&wtf GOLDBURG's.

Puff, brothers, puff with caire, Puff the New York Gevernaire, Twenty-five cents for quoted mattaire, Seventy-five cents for original mat-

taire, A five-dollar bill for the editaire, Puff, brothers, puff with caire, Puff the New York Governaire.

.. Martin Forstmeyer is receiving from the north an invoice of the finest ice ever brought to Decatur.

... And what has become of the Tilden club? Dodson and Minckley started it with a great flourish of trumpets, but it don't seem to stay started worth a cent. Can it be that Ben has forgotten it in And other articles for 4th his zeal for military glory and his hunger for scalps, or do the boys object to his leadership merely because he is too unanimous?

P. LOEB'S

IRON WORKS!

Corner of Broadway and the T., W. & W. R. R., Decatur, Illinois. Të now in running order, and is prepared to furnish all, kinds of fine Castings in gray fron; also Window Weights, Hitching Fosts, Cellar Grates, Sealing Wax Ladies, &c. Patterns made to order. \$\frac{\psi}{2}\$. Lash paid for OLD IRON.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

July 1

Best Cider Vinegar at 20 cents. White wine at 25 cents per gallon at Western Tea Store.

Pearl Barley, 4 lbs. for 25 cents; best Carolina rice, 3 lbs. for 25c; 10 lbs. of the best White E. C. sugar for \$1.00, at the Western Tea Co's Store.

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June30-tf

Keep's Patent Partly Made Shirts, aller, and served upon the following described property of the northest quarter of section thirteen. Town sixteen north, Range one cast of the 3d P. M. in Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Renamen, and against James Miller, Andrew J. Mill rand George W. Herrell, partners under the firm name of James Miller, the property of the northest quarter of section thirteen. Town sixteen north, Range one cast of the 3d P. M. in Macon county, Illinois, in favor of the control of James Miller, which I shall offer at public sale as the west door of the Coirr Heuse, in Macon county, in saled State, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1876, at the hour of 3 broked in Macon county, in saled State, on the 5th day of faculty, and the Manhattan shirts, made complete, \$1.25—the best and cheapest

\$12 a day at home. Agents wanted... \$12 Outfit and terms free. TRUE & CO., Auguste, Maine. [mar. 9, "6-dawly

ROBBERS ARRESTED.

Early yesterday morning, some per son or persons effected an entrance to Elliott & Anderson's clothing store, and took about seventeen dollars worth of goods and a dollar or two in money.

The entrance was made by cutting a canel from the back door, and the robing of the store in the morning .church at the usual hours on Sunday. bery was discovered at the open. Quite early Mr. McReynolds saw a man with a bundle under his arm, come out through the new building being put up next to Mueller's gun store, and a description of this man was fu rnished the

Last evening officers Condon and Mi-

senhelter, came across a couple of men

in the vicinity of the depot who excited their suspicion, and accosted them with some inquiries as to who they were and what they were doing. One of them remarked that he had a paper about him that would tell who he was, and passed to the officers a receipt from the expres company for a bundle of clothing that he had left at the express office to be shipped to Chicago. This gave the officials a clue, and Misenhelter remarked te them that they were probably the men he was looking for, and took them into custody. He went with the receipt to the express office, where he found a bundle containing articles of clothing answering the description given by Elliett & Anderson of the clothing they had lost. This, of course, fastened the matter, and a warrant was procured for the formal arrest of the young men. They gave the name of McCarty, and McNabb, respectively, and are having a preliminary hearing before Justice Hughes. They are making quite a vigorous defense, and have procured the services of Thomas Lee, Esq., as coun-

## Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS
Macon county, SS
In the Circuit Court of said county to the
August term, A. D., 1876. Manlius T. Shepherd,

ys. John T Brabham and Thomas J. Brabham.—Attachment

Thomas J. Brabham.—Attachment

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a writ
of attachment has issued out of the said
Court, at the instance and suit of Manilus
T. Shepherd, against the estate of John T.
Brabham and Thomas J. Brabham, for the
sum of five bundred and ten dollars and fifteen cents, and that the same is now pending before the Circuit Court of Macon courty, State of Illinois, to be held in the City
of Decatur, Illinois, on the first Monday in
August, A. D., 1876, and that unless they the
said defendants, John T. Brabham and
Thomas J. Brabham, shall appear, give bail,
and plead within the time ilmited for their
appearance in said case, judgment will be
entered, and the saintee of attached will be
sold.

E. McClELLAN,
Crea & Ewing for plaintiff.
july12-daw

Market.

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Glass Fruit Jars, Tin Fruit Cans. Pat. Top Jelly Glasses, Fruit Can Cement.

AT LIDDLE'S NOS. 1 AND 2 Requiring Less Ice,

COURT HOUSE BUILDING.

Coal Oil, Best White, 20 cents per gallon, Hotel for Bent.—The undersigned has American styles, at lower prices than Family Favorite Fluid, THE BEST MADE,

> 20 Cents per Gallon, AT LIDDLE'S, 1 & 2 Court House Buiding.

FLAGS And Fancy Lanterns, Pistols, Bomb Shells

> AT LIDDLE'S, 1 and 2.

of July.

Court House Building.

THE ENEMY OF DISEASE! THE FOR OF PAIN TO MAN AND BEAST

#### Is the Grand Old MUSTANG LINIMENT, Which has Stood the Test of 40 Years

There is no Sore it will not Hea!, no Lameness it will not Cure, no Ache. no Pain, that afficts the human body, or the body of a horse or other domestic animal, that does not yield to its magic touch. A bottle costing 25c., title of the city; also a good hense with large for a human being, and restored to life farm of 20 acres. It miles northwest of and usefulness many a valuable horse.

March 10—dead wiv

CEND Be to G. P. ROWELL & CO., New hards 10 for Pamphlet of 100 pages, containg ing lists of 300 newspapers, and estimates waren s, 1678—according to the control of the control of the above will be sold at a proper showing cost of siverlising waren s, 1678—according to the cost of siverlising or to A. C. Property of the cost of the co

FRESH ARRIVALS

## Ladies' Suits!

PAISLEY SHAWLS. SILK CLOAKS, SUN UMBRELLAS,

ARASOLS, BLACK CASHMERES.

BLACK SILKS. BLACK GRENADINES;

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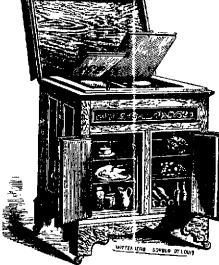
## J. L. FERRISS

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Now opening the Largest Stock of BOOTS and SHOES for the spring retail trade ever brought to Decatur. March 4, 1876-d&wtf.

## THE SHAW REFRIGERATORS.



Most Beautifu

We confidently recommend them as Superior to any Refrigerators

sold in this market in the following points: More Perfectly Ventilated, A Dryer Atmosphere, A Lower Temperature, More Easily Kept Sweet, Better Made,

Handsomer. Warranted to be as Represented. ICE CHESTS OF THE SAME MAKE. Sold Only by J. H. LEWIS & CO.

Water Coolers, Water Cooler Tables, Water Coolers and Filters Combined. THE CELEBRATED

None equal to it in speed or evenness of Cream. Will pay its entire cost in the saving of ice. Sold only by J. H. LEWIS & CO.

Blatchley's Horizontal Ice Cream Freezer,

FOR RESTAURANTS, FAMILIES, HOTELS.

#### CHANCERY NOTICE. In the Circuit Court, August Term, 1876,

June 2, '76, dly

STATE OF ILLINOIS, self. Macon Courty, 58

Henry Traughber vs. Rebecca J. Traughber.
Divorce,

A FFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE A of Rebecca J. Traughber, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given that the above-named complainst. has this day filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out; of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of said court, to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the First Monday of August next, 1876.

Now therefore, unless you, the said defendant, shall be and appear before the said court at the said term and then and there plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the matters and things therein contained will be taken pro conjesso, land a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk, Smith & Cloker, Complainant's boilcitors Decatur, Hi., June 23, 1876.

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, \ Washington, June 3, 1876.

Proposals will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until three o'clock p. m. of July 15th, 1876, (to be decided by the 31st July.) for carrying the mails of the United States from October 1st, 1876, to June 30th, 1879, on the following routes in the State of Illinois, and by the schedule of departures and arrivals herein specified, viz:

23120 From Eigin, by Udins, to North Plato,

9½ followand buck, three times a week.

Coave Figur Tuesday, Thursday and
Saturday at Party a. m;

Arrive at North Plato by 12 m;

Leave North Plato Tuesday, Thursday
and Saturday at 1 p. m;

Arrive at Eigin by - p. m;

Bond required with fild, 230.

23217 From London Mills, by Hermon, to Abingdon, is miles and back, twice a Arrivo at Abington by 12 m.; Leavy Landor Mills Thosday and Friday at 8 a.m.; Arrivo at Abington by 12 m.; Leavy Abington Tuesday and Friday at 5 l.m.; Arrivo at London Mills by 5 p. m. Bond required with bid, \$200.

2223 From Pontine, by Samnonin, Rogers (n. o.), Sullivan Contre, Sugar Loaf Cabory, and Eddidgöville, to Che bunse, 47% infles and back, twice-week.

Leave Pontlas Monday and Wednesday at 5 a. m.; Arrivo at Chebanse by 0 p. m.; Leave Chebanse Tuesday and Friday at 5 g. m.; Arrive at Pontiac by 9 p. m. Bond required with bid, \$1,000.

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2333 From Moleansborough, by Boile Prairie and Eills Mound, to Lovor Hills,
21 inless and back, three thmose week.
Leave McLeansborough Thosday,
Thursday and Baturday at 6 a. 2a.;
Arrive at Lower Hills by 1 p. m.;
Lonvo Lower Hills Tronday, Thursday
and Saturday at 2 p. m.;
Arrive at McLeansborough by 0 p. m.
Bond required with bid, 2500.

Arrayo at Mafeanshorough by 9 p. m.
Bond required with bid, 1800.

3151 From Fontiae, by Gramont (n. c.) and
Zootsyllie (n. c.) to Minonk, 20 miles
and back, once a week,
Leave Fontiae Friday at 9 a. m.;
Arrive at Minonk by 4 p. m.;
Leave Minonk Saturday at 9 b. m.;
Arrive at Pontiae by 4 p. m.
Hand required with bid, 2200.

2365 From Oakland, by Maralin, to Chorieston, 18 miles and back, once a week,
Louve Oakland by Maralin, to Chorieston, 18 miles and back, once a week,
Louve Oakland Saturday at 1 p. m.;
Arrive at Oharleston Saturday at 1 p. m.;
Arrive at Oakland by 6 p. m.
Bond required with bid, 2200.

3153 From Sherburnville to Grant Park, 81x
miles and back, twee a week,
Louve Sherburnville Wednesday, and
Haturday at 10 a. m.;
Arrive at Grant Park by 11.20 a. m.;
Leave Grant Park by 11.20 a. m.;
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Leave Potoni Suturday at 8 a. m.;
Arrive at Saybrook by 13 m.;
Leave Suppress Saturday at 1 p. m.;
Arrive at Potoni by 5 p. m.
Bond required with bid, \$200.

\$2555 From Indianota to Shiell's Grove (n. o.), 7 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Indianola Satarday at 1 p. m.;
Arrive at Sidell's Grove by 3 p. m.;
Leave Sidell's Grove by 3 p. m.;
Leave Sidell's Grove by 1 p. m.
Hond required with bid, \$100.

\$2566 From Beecher, City, by Greenland, to

23166 From Boother City, by Groenland, to White Oak Point (n. o.), 7½ miles and back, onco a work. Leave Beccher City Saturday at 1. p.fm Arrivo at White Oak Point by 3 p. m. Leave White Oak Point Saturday at 17. The Postmaster General reserves the right to reject any bid which may be deemed extravagant; and also to disregard the bids of failing contractors and bidders.

No contract for carrying the mall shall 4 p. m.; Arrive at Beecher City by 6 p. m. Bond required with bid, 4100.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS AND POSTMASTERS;

Containing also conditions to be incor

porated in the contracts to the extent the Department may deem
proper.

The Posymaster General warns bidders and their sureties to acquaint themselves fully with the laws of Congress relating to contracts for the carrying of the mails, the important provisions of which are cited herein, and also to familiarize themselves with the instructions and forms herein furnished, before they shall assume any limbilities as such bidders or sureties, and to prevent misapprehension or cause

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POSTMASTERS are required to make themselves familiar with the laws and those instructions that they may be able to inform and direct others.

Is faction of the Postmaster General.

By regulation of the Department, no carrier can be employed who is under wind to be accepted who is under twenty-one years of age, or who is a married woman.

18. The bid should be sealed, superficiently addressed "Second Assistant Postmaster." form and direct others.

1. Seven minutes are allowed to each General, Contract Office."

lecting to take the mail from, or deliver it into, a post office; for suffering it to be wet, injured, destroyed, robbed, or lost; and for refusing, after demand, to convey the mail as frequently as the contract or runs, or is concerned in running, a coach, car, or steambeat on a route.

7. The Postmaster General may annual the contract for repeated failures to run agreeably to contract; for repeated failures to run agreeably to contract; for resigning the contract for refusing the best office laws, or disobeying the instructions of the Department; for refusing to discharge a carrier when required by the Department to refer the service awarded to be executed and surcties to be approved by the Postmaster General, to perform the service are the said service according to his contract in his said hid, and further affall perform accepted biddler will be considered as having failed, and it the Postmaster General to perform the service as the option of interest in the post office laws.

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rier when required by the Department to do so; for running an express as aforesaid; or for transporting persons or packages conveying mailable matter out of the mail. The Postmaster General may order ing therefor a pro rata increase on the contract pay. He may change schedules of departures and arrivals in all cases, and particularly to make them conform to connections with railroads, without increase of pay, provided the running time be not of pay, provided the running time be not abridged. The Postmaster General may also discontinue or curtail the service, in whole or in part, in order to place on the route superior service, or whenever the public interests, in his judgment, shall require such discontinuance or curtailment for any either cause, he allowing, as full indemnity to contractor, one month's extra pay on the amount of service dispensed with, and a pro rata compensation for the samount of service retained and continued.

Vide for the due celerity, certainty, and security, "having because the mile with security thereof." Under this law bids in the service, in the stories of the surface of the same described to be the only legal bids, are constitued as providing for the entire mail, however large, and whiteher may be the surface of conveyance necessary to insure its mode of conveyance necessary to insure its interest in the about the same as such who have the preference over all others, and no others are considered, except for steamboat with, and a provorate compensation for the amount of service dispensed with, and a provorate compensation for the amount of service retained and continued.

23. A modification of a bid in any of its executed the within bond, that his bid, and cannot be received so as to intering the provided as the residuence in correctly stated, there is the owner of its law of the provided as the residuence in the contract of the same as such as the provided as the residuence in the service and states in the contract of the same as such as the provided as the residuence in the service and states the security. The provided the security is the security of securities and being by me duly sworn, depose and says, he has executed the within bond, that his place of residence in correctly stated there. It is the contract of the same as such as the security of the security of the security of the security of th particularly to make them conform to con-nections with railroads, without increase of pay, provided the running time be not

be made with any person who has entered, or proposed to enter, into any combination

to prevent the making of any bid for car-rying the mall, or who has made any

9. Payments will be made by collections from, or drafts on postmasters of otherwise, after the expiration of each quiter—say in Noxember, Potrary, May and August, provided that required evidence or service has been received.

10. The distances given not believed to be substantially correct; but no increased pay will be allowed should they be greater than advertised, if the points to be supstantially correct; that no increased pay will be allowed should they be greater than advertised. If the points to be supstantially correct; the corrective stated. This point, and all postmaster, or calculations against him, after amounted to (3)—10. The only Direct Route to the mail, the condition of hills, roads, streams, &c.

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20. Postmasters are cautioned, under the follows are and above all debts due and owner that all judget alterna the condition of hills, roads, streams, &c and all toll-bridges, turnpikes, plank-roads

25. Postmasters are also liable to dismissal from office for acting as agents of contractors or bidders, with or without and an con-orages, turnplies, plank-roads, ferries, or obstructions of any kind by which expense may be incurred. No claim for additional pay, based on such ground, can be considered; nor for alleged inistakes or misapprehension as to the degree of service; nor for bridges destroyed, ferries discontinued, or other obstructions causing or increasing distance or extensions or increasing distance or extensions. compensation, in any business, matter, or thing relating to the mail service. They are the trusted agents of the Department, and cannot consistently act in both capacities.

ties.

26. In case the route is not fully supplied with pouches, locks and keys, requisition must be made upon the Second Assistant Postmaster General for the same before the date of beginning service.

Proposals altered by erasures or interlineations of the route, the service, the yearly pay, or the name of the bidder, will not be considered. tions causing or increasing distance or expense occurring during the contract term.
Offices established after this advertisement is issued, and also during the contract term, are to be visited without extra pay if the distance be not increased. 11. Bidders are cautioned to mail their proposals in time to reach the Department by the day and hour named in the advertisement, as bids received after that time with not be considered in competition. FORM OF PROPOSAL, BOND, AND CERTIFICATE.

PROPOSAL. with bids of reasonable amount received in The undersigned — , whose postoffice address is — , county of — ,
State of — , proposes to carry the mails
of the United States, from October 1, 1876,
to June 30, 18 — , on route No. — , between — and — State of Neither can bids be considered time. Neither can bids be considered which are without the bond, cath, and certificate required by section 245, act of June 23, 1874. 12. Bidders should first propose for sorvice strictly according to the advertise-ment, and then, if they desire, separately for different service; and, if the regular bid be the lowest offered for the advertised under the advertisement of the Postmaste sont, and then, if they desire, aspectately that the advertised or different service; and if the regular General, dated May 20, 1876, "with celerioid be the lowest offered for the advertised by, certainty, and security," for the annual considered.

18. There should be but one route bid with sureties to be approved by the Postservice, the other propositions may be considered.

for in a proposal. Consolidated or commaster General, within the time prescribed bination bids ("proposing one sum for two or more routes") cannot be considered.

14. The route, the service, the yearly pay, the name and residence of the bidder, mail to be carried, and all other pays of the carried. This proposal is made with full knowledge of the distance of the route, the verifit of the mail to be carried, and all other particulars in reference to the route and service; and (that is, his usual post-office address,) and the name of each member of a firm where a company offers, should be distinctly ulso, after careful examination of the laws and instructions attached to advertisement of mail service. Bilder. 15. Bidders are requested to use, as far

as practicable, the printed proposals furnished by the Department, to write out in full the sum of their hids, and to retain copies of them.

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Outh required by section 245 of an act of Congress approved June 28, 1874, to be afficient to each bid for earlying the mail on route No. — from carrying the mail on route No. — from to —, do swear that I have the ability, pecuniarily, to fulfill my obtigation as such bidder; that the bid is made in good falth, and with the intention to enter into contract and perform the route of the section of the section to the Second Assistant P. M. General. — Superscribed: "Mail Proposals, State of Illinols," and addressed to the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

MARSHALL JEWELL,

Postmaster General. submitted; and if so submitted will not be considered in awarding the contracts. No withdrawal of a bid will be allowed unless the withdrawal is received twenty-four hours previous to the time fixed for opening the proposals.

16. In case of failure of the accepted bilder to execute a contract, or of the abandonment of service during the conto enter into contract and perform the service in case said bill shall be accepted.

Sworn to and subscribed before tract term, the service during the con-tract term, the service will be re-advertised and re-let at the expense of the failing bidder or contractor, and any accepted bidder who shall wrongfully refuse or fall to enter into contract in due form, and to perform the service described in his pro-posal, may be deemed guilty of a misde-mentor, and, on conviction thereof, be fined and imprisoned therefor.

me, — for the — of — of — , this — day of — , and in testimony [SEAL] whereof I bereunte subscribe my name and are selected. day and year aforesaid.

Note—When the cath is taken before a justice of the peace, at any other officer not using a seal, except a judge of a United States court, the pertinicate of the clerk of a court of record must be added, under his seal of office, that the person who administered the oath is duly qualified as such emercy.

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Bits must be accompanied by a certificate
check, or draft, on some solvent diatomat bank,
pugulis to the order of the Postmasier General, equal to 5 per centum on the present
annual pay on the route when the present pay
exceeds \$6,000; or in case of new service, not
less than 5 per centum of the amount of the
bond accompanying the bits, if said bond execces \$0,000.

The proposal must be signed by the bidder
or bidders, and the date of signing affixed.

Direct to the "Second Assistant Postingster General, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C.," marked, "Proposals, State of
Illinois." agreement, or given or performed, or promised to give or perform, any conside-ration whatever to induce any other person

BOND.

DIRECTIONS 6 6 6 Insert the names of the principal and sur-eties in full in the body of the bond; also the date. The signatures of the bond should be witnessed, and the certificate on the inside should be signed by a justice of the peace, adding his chickaft title, or, if signed by a Notary Public, he should allix his soul.

Know all men by these presents, that principal, and and 1. Seven minutes are allowed to each intermediate office, when not otherwise specified, for assorting the mails.

2. On routes where the mode of convagance admits it, the special agents of the Post Office Department, also post office blanks, mail bags, locks and keys, are to

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pected to perform the service awarded to them through the whole contract term

22. Section 249 of the act of June 8,

1872, provides that contract form. 1872, provides that contracts for the transportation of the mail shall be "awarded to the lowest bidder tendering sufficient guarantees for faithful performance, without other reference to the mode of such transportation than may be necessary to provide for the due celerity, certainty, and security thereof." Under this law bids that propose to transport the mails with

Note:—When the above eath is taken before a justice of the peace or any other off cer not using a seal except a Judge of a US. Court, the certificate of the clerk of a court of record must be added, under seal of office, that the person who administered the oath is duly qualified as such officer.

STATE OF

same being a Court of Record, do hereby same being a Court of Record, to nearly certify that \_\_\_\_, whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing affidavit, was, at the time of signing the same, a justice of the peace in and for the county and State aforesaid, duly qualified, and that all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as clork, and affixed the seal of said court, on this day of

CERTIFICATE OF POSTMASTER. diligence to inform myself of the pecuniary ability and responsibility of the principal and his surelies in the foregoing bond, and of the unincumbered real estate owned and of the unincumered real estate owned by them, respectively, do hereby approve said bond and certify that the said sureties are sufficient—sufficient in my belief to insure the payment of double the entire amount of the said bond; and I do fur-ther certify that the said bond was duly signed by \_\_\_\_\_\_ bidder, and \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ his sureties, before signing this certi-ficate. \_\_\_\_\_ Postmaster.

Dated 187 Postmaster.

Dated 187 Por forms of proposal, bond, and certificate, and also for instructions as to the conditions to be embraced in the contract,

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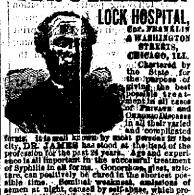
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